



Proclamation

Presented

In Recognition of the Statewide Math Bowl XXXIII

WHEREAS, the Hawai'i Association of Mathematics (HAM) and the Hawai'i Council of Teachers of Mathematics (HCTM) promote interest and quality instruction in mathematics at schools statewide and for more than 30 years have coordinated the annual State Math Championships -or- State Math Bowl; and

WHEREAS, the Hawai'i Association of Mathematics (HAM) and the Hawai'i Council of Teachers of Mathematics (HCTM) invites Hawai'i public and private high school students to participate in the State Math Bowl, and engage in intense math competition to showcase their knowledge, motivation, teamwork and school pride; and

WHEREAS, the Hawai'i Association of Mathematics (HAM) and the Hawai'i Council of Teachers of Mathematics (HCTM) promotes the State Math Bowl as a means to stimulate interest for mathematics through mathematical challenges, and creates enthusiasm for competition similar to the participation of sports or athletic contests; and

WHEREAS, the Hawai'i Association of Mathematics (HAM) and the Hawai'i Council of Teachers of Mathematics (HCTM) encourages high school students to increase their math skills, and promotes the importance of having good mathematical skills as it can affect every aspect of their lives; and

WHEREAS, the Hawai'i Association of Mathematics (HAM) and the Hawai'i Council of Teachers of Mathematics (HCTM) will be sponsoring the 33rd Annual State Math Championships on May 7, 2011 at Brigham Young University-Hawai'i;

THEREFORE I, NEIL ABERCROMBIE, Governor, and **I, BRIAN SCHATZ**, Lieutenant Governor of the State of Hawai'i, do hereby proclaim May 1-7, 2011, as

"MATHEMATICS AWARENESS WEEK"

in Hawai'i and encourage the people of the Aloha State to join us supporting the State Math Championships and wishing all the Math Bowl participants the best of luck at the State Math Bowl XXXIII.

DONE at the State Capitol, in the Executive Chambers, Honolulu, State of Hawai'i, this eighth day of April, 2011.

NEIL ABERCROMBIE

Governor, State of Hawai'i

BRIAN SCHATZ

Lt. Governor, State of Hawai'i